

GOMPERS GIVES COUNTRY PLEDGE THAT ORGANIZED LABOR IS TRUE

As Chairman of Convention Leader Sounds Keynote and Denounces Those Who Would Split Labor On War Questions

CONVENTION HALL ROCKS WITH WILD APPLAUSE

No More Faithful Citizens Or Better Patriots Found Than Among Those of the Labor Unions and They Must Show It

MINNEAPOLIS, September 6—(Associated Press)—United support of organized labor to the United States, its participation in the war and in the preparations for a greater army, greater navy, greater merchant marine, in brief, the patriotic and unstinted support of the best elements of labor unionism in all that may be demanded of it, were promised and pledged by Samuel Gompers in a speech which he delivered last evening at the opening session of the conference of the American Alliance of Labor and Democracy. He denounced as futile the efforts and activities of those who would split the ranks of labor on any question arising in regard to the war.

SPEECH IS KEYNOTE

Samuel Gompers was elected chairman of the conference which opened here last evening and which is attended by hundreds of the leaders of organized labor who have come from all sections of the land to attend and participate in its deliberations and decisions. His speech was the "key-note speech" of the convention and time and again he brought the great audience to its feet while the convention hall rocked and shook with the applause which his words brought spontaneously forth.

"In the midst of this war there can be no dissensions among those who have the guns of the enemy trained upon them," said the great labor leader. "I hold that the man who is a traitor to his country is upon a par with the man who is a scab to his trade and to his fellow workers."

May Express Opinions

"I believe that the men who have to fight have the natural and unalienable and inalienable right to express their dissent. But an expression of dissent is one thing and the organizing of any movement that would destroy the will of the majority or tend to nullify it is quite another and different thing. That is something that cannot be and must not be tolerated."

"The United States has entered this war not of its own wishes but because it could not be avoided if the country was to be true to itself and to its ideals, to your best ideals and to mine. Under those circumstances, since it is a war of democracy against autocracy, a war for a rule of the people of the world against the individual monarch and the armed forces that he commands, there is nothing for every true and honest member of organized labor to do but to give the government his earnest, his best support."

Must Show Tolerance

"In these times much must be overlooked that could not be so treated at other times. We all have to bear our burdens and do our part. And organized labor will not be found wanting. I pledge to the people of this country and to our government the united support of organized labor."

"There are those who would disrupt our organization at this time. They are traitors, nothing less than scabs and traitors, scabs to the country and to their fellow citizens. They must not be tolerated and they will not be tolerated. Their worst efforts will be made futile by the honest and patriotic working men of the land. No where in the land are there better and truer and more patriotic citizens than are to be found in the ranks of organized labor."

SHORTER OPINIONS FROM JUDGES ARE SOUGHT FOR

SARATOGA SPRINGS, New York, September 6—(Associated Press)—The Bar Association at the close of its session here denounced German war methods as without the sanction of the international law and repugnant to civilization.

It also passed a resolution asking state and federal judges to write shorter opinions.

REVELATIONS WILL CHANGE NEW POINT

Michaelis Says Testimony in Petrograd Will Put Germany in New and Better Light

AMSTERDAM, September 6—(Associated Press)—Imperial Chancellor Michaelis, in referring to the statements being made by the various witnesses in the trial of General Soukhomiloff at Petrograd, who is charged with high treason for his actions during his incumbency as minister of war for Russia, says that this testimony "is calculated completely to destroy the legend of the guilt of Germany in starting the war. The statements being made at this trial will force European opinion to revise its judgement of Germany." Despatches from Petrograd state that General Gurko, former commander of the southwestern front of the Russian army, who was recalled from his command and forced to respond to charges of treason, has been convicted and sentenced to be exiled to Siberia.

CIVILIANS SUFFER IN HUN AIR RAID

Eleven Killed and Sixty Maimed As Bombs Narrowly Miss Hospital in Night Attack

LONDON, September 5—(Associated Press)—Eleven were killed and sixty wounded, according to official reports given out today, in another German airplane raid on the southeast coast of England last night.

Flying at a very high altitude the raiders could not be observed though the moon was shining brightly. The drum of their high-powered engines, however, could be distinctly heard. Anti-aircraft guns shelled in the direction in which the raiders were heard, and one was shot down at Sheerness.

It is estimated that the raid was made in great force as the number of bombs dropped was large. A hospital directly in the path of the Hun planes had a narrow escape from destruction, bombs dropping close to the buildings, but doing no damage.

A submarine lying at Scarborough was hit and three sailors were killed and five wounded.

CHICAGO CROWD SHOWS DISGUST FOR MAYOR

Political Parade Is Mobbed Because of Pro-German Candidate

CHICAGO, September 5—(Associated Press)—Mayor William Hale Thompson got further proof today of his unpopularity caused by his pro-German language when a crowd of soldiers mobbed a parade of the mayor's political adherents, and tore the political banners from the hands of his henchmen.

The parade was made up of fifty automobiles, but the mayor was not in the procession.

Many citizens joined willing hands with the soldiers, and the paraders were forced to abandon their program.

DUAL MONARCHIES TO SETTLE DIFFERENCES

AMSTERDAM, September 6—(Associated Press)—A Budapest despatch states that arrangements have been perfected for a conference of Austrian and Hungarian leaders in Vienna for November, at which conference will be taken up for a settlement a number of the outstanding questions between the two members of the Dual Monarchy, affecting the inter-monarchical relations and the joint internal and foreign policies to be followed. The question of acceptable peace terms will also be discussed.

REMOVAL SOUGHT OF HEAD OF UNIVERSITY

LINCOLN, Nebraska, September 5—(Associated Press)—The Nebraska Council of Defense today formally demanded the removal of Frank Haller, president of the board of regents of the University of Nebraska because of alleged German utterances.

SILVER PRICE IS UP

NEW YORK, September 6—(Associated Press)—Bar silver prices have gone record making. Yesterday the price reached ninety-five and five-eighths cents an ounce. This makes a Mexican dollar worth seventy-five cents for the intrinsic silver it contains.

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SUFFRAGETTES ARE SENT TO WORKHOUSE FOR THEIR CONDUCT

WASHINGTON, September 6—(Associated Press)—Eleven of the thirteen suffragette demonstrators who were arrested on Tuesday, following their efforts to interfere with the success of the "draft parade," were yesterday sentenced to serve sixty days each in the workhouse. Those sentenced include some of the best known of the American militants, who have gathered here to work for the Anthony Amendment. There were no appeals taken from the sentences and the women were removed to the workhouse to commence their sentences last night.

DEPLETION OF MEAT SUPPLY IS FEARED

Stock Growers and Agricultural Department Agree On Need of Remedies To Stimulate

WASHINGTON, September 6—(Associated Press)—Livestock men freely predict an early depletion of the animals needed for the nation's supply of meat unless legislation and regulations be adopted and put into operation which will tend to encourage and stimulate the meat producing industries. To this the department of agriculture agrees and it will urge that remedial and comprehensive measures be taken to keep up the industry and to prevent the hardship that would fall upon the people were there to be an actual shortage of meat.

Means for keeping down prices of necessities continue to be devised by those who have been entrusted with the duties. Commissioner Garfield last evening promised that at an early date the price for coal at retail would be fixed. Boards are to be established and the various communities will have their own committees which will aid those boards in the carrying out and enforcing the provisions that will be made for each such separate community in accordance with the supply used and the facilities and costs for delivery.

STRIKING CAR MEN CAUSE MORE TROUBLE

Disorder Breaks Out in San Francisco Once Again

SAN FRANCISCO, September 6—(Associated Press)—Violence has broken out here again after two days' quiet among the striking street car men. Serious trouble occurred this afternoon that approached the riot stage. One striking car man was shot in the hip by one of the substitutes whom the strikers had attacked. Several of these substitutes were seriously bruised when beaten by strikers and strike sympathizers.

USE WILSON'S LETTER TO HELP WAR LOAN

AMSTERDAM, September 6—(Associated Press)—Germany has found a use for President Wilson's reply to the peace proposals of the Pope that has never been anticipated. It is being printed and broadly circulated and is thus being used as the basis for a propaganda for the raising of seventh war loan.

The argument is taken that the letter from the United States makes it clear also that the war must be continued and that to do so the funds must be now forth coming.

HOLLAND COMMISSION SAFE AT HOME AGAIN

Members Not Optimistic On Success In Securing Shipments

AN ATLANTIC PORT, September 6—(Associated Press)—The special commission from The Hague, which has been sent to the United States to make a plea for the cause of the Netherlands in the matter of licensing exports of foodstuffs to Holland arrived yesterday.

The members of this mission declare that if they fail to persuade the American government to permit a continuance of the supply of grain exported to Holland it will mean misery and the economic ruin of that country.

INTERRED HUN SAILOR ESCAPES AND IS CAUGHT

SAN FRANCISCO, September 6—(Associated Press)—After being at liberty for two days, Hans Schellinger, a German sailor who had escaped from Angel Island was recaptured last evening.

Schellinger escaped some time Monday morning and as soon as he was missed secret service men were set to work to run him down. They came upon him last evening but it was only after a chase of several blocks that he was recaptured.

TOLL OF BRITISH SHIPS HEAVIER THAN FOR MONTHS

Ruthless Submarining Causes Heavy Losses But Does Not Approach Those of the Earliest Weeks of Campaign. Records Show

LONDON, September 6—(Associated Press)—The number of British ships destroyed by German submarines during the week ending last night was larger than for any week during the past three months, although below the average of the first period of the campaign of ruthless submarining. In all, thirty-two attacks by submarines upon merchant ships were made, these being successful in twenty-three instances. Of the ships lost, twenty were of 1800 tons or over and three were among the smaller vessels at sea.

According to report, one of the last of the torpedoed ships was the Kenmore of 2450 tons, inward bound from Boston.

The success of the German submarines, as it is being announced in Berlin, is being emphasized by the German admiralty and the writers on naval subjects, as well as being referred to in the reichstag as the precursor of final victory.

A sample of the German claims is reported in despatches from Copenhagen, which quote Captain von Kuehlwetter of the German navy as estimating that the tonnage which has been destroyed by the U-boats during the month of August amounts to 750,000 tons. This would be the equivalent of three steamers a day of 8000 tons each. Captain von Kuehlwetter is the naval expert of the Lokal Anzeiger.

Attorney General Causes Arrest of I. W. W. Leaders

Raids Are Made On Wobblies In Many Parts of United States and Gregory Informs Public That Indictments May Be Expected Quickly

WASHINGTON, September 6—(Associated Press)—Nationwide governmental activity against the Industrial Workers of the World, suspected of plotting to restrict the industrial activities of the country in the interests of Germany, commenced yesterday and local headquarters of the I. W. W. were raided by federal officers. At each headquarters arrests were made and the documents, records and literature of the branch seized.

The central headquarters of the organization at Chicago were included among the raided places and William Haywood, general secretary and executive head of the organization was caught and arrested.

"It is no secret that the I. W. W. organization has been under suspicion for some time," said Attorney General Gregory last night. The raids were made under the directions of the attorney-general, who took the keenest interest in the reports as they arrived from the officials of the various cities where the raids and arrests were made. "I do not need to say," continued the attorney-general, "that these raids will be followed quickly by indictments if any evidence is uncovered in the seized records to warrant indictments."

The federal grand juries in a number of States have been conducting inquiries into the I. W. W. activities and it is believed to be upon the recommendations of some of these grand juries that the raids were authorized.

REPUBLICANS DELAY BOND ISSUE MEASURE

Failure of Representation in Spending of Money Resented

WASHINGTON, September 6—(Associated Press)—Plans for the passage of the bill providing for the issuance of more than eleven billions of dollars for loans to the Allies and for insuring the conduct of the war until the next congressional session, failed yesterday because of the organized opposition of the Republican minority to the methods which the administration has employed in securing the support of that minority when needed and ignoring it in appointments that have to do with the actual conduct of the war and the spending of the money which the Republicans make it possible to appropriate. The efforts yesterday caused delay but appeared to be futile, but it is promised that similar tactics will be employed in the senate.

In the upper house yesterday the War Revenue Tax Bill as drafted by the finance committee was passed by a vote of seventy-two to seven. The vote yesterday adopted a provision for the raising of \$1,286,000,000.

TYPICAL COLONIAL HOME TO BE BUILT IN MANOA

Plans for a handsome new home in Manoa are being drafted. It will be located on Beckley Street and will be built for David L. Olson, Harper & Furber are the architects.

While this will not be one of the more elaborate Manoa homes it will be complete and comfortable and will stand out as an example of the typical colonial architecture. It will be erected at a cost of \$7000.

G. A. R. MEN ANSWER FINAL ROLL CALL

George W. De Long Post Gives Up Charter—Only Four Attend Last Camp

The last roll-call has been answered and George W. de Long Post No. 45, Grand Army of the Republic, is no more.

Time, the inexorable march of the years has brought the historic organization to its end. One by one the veterans who once made up its roll have dropped out, either fallen to the hand of death or removed from the territory. At length there were left only four active members of the post—James G. Cannon, post commander; L. L. La Pierre, senior vice-commander; D. B. Newell, adjutant, and W. L. Eaton, quartermaster.

These four—all that were left of the 210 whose names were at one time on the roll of membership, were not enough even to fill the necessary offices of the post, and the four veterans who in the days of their youth fought to save the Union from disintegration, decided reluctantly that they could no longer carry the burden.

So last night the final roll-call of the post was held and four old men, standing straight and firm despite the burden of the years that had rolled over them since they charged into the hell of rifle fire, answered for the last time "Here." George W. de Long Post was a thing of the lamented and honored past.

The post was organized in 1882 and had at one time a membership of 210 Grand Army men, the names of those who fought for the Union. Many of these members have since answered the Great Call, while many have been transferred to other posts or dropped from the roll by removal from the Territory. The charter and records of the organization will be returned to post headquarters in California by Quartermaster W. L. Eaton, who sails for the Coast on September 18.

The post banner which has been seen by thousands of Honoluluans heading the Memorial Day parade for many years was taken from its place in the lodge room last night and presented to Senior Vice-Commander L. L. La Pierre as a fitting remembrance of the George W. de Long Post, in which he has served as an officer for many years.

HOUSE GIVES ISHII ROUSING RECEPTION

WASHINGTON, September 5—(Associated Press)—Viscount Ishii today visited the house of representatives and was accorded a rousing reception.

Introduced by Speaker Champ Clark, the distinguished visitor told the assembled representatives that he had "come with a message from the emperor, of the assurance of Japan's comradeship and cooperation in the great war."

He said the object of the war mission was to learn how best to coordinate their energies to bring about a victorious issue.

"We and you must guard against treachery which has a hiding place in our midst, and is endeavoring to sow the seeds of discord between us. We hope to see the world living in a brotherhood of peace."

Representative Champ Clark, in introducing Viscount Ishii, said that the "empire of Japan is our western neighbor. She holds one side of the Pacific and we the other, and every right thinking man in the empire and the republic hopes that peace, amity and friendly relations will always prevail between the two great powers."

Tremendous applause greeted the remarks of Champ Clark and Ishii when they touched on the friendly relationship of the United States and Japan.

THIRTY PER CENT IS PAID THIS YEAR

DENVER, September 6—(Associated Press)—The Great Western Sugar Company, which controls a number of the best sugar factories in the State, has announced another special dividend of ten per cent on its common stock issue of one and a half millions. This is the third such dividend this year, the amounts so paid out to stockholders aggregating \$450,000.

DAUGHTER IS BORN TO GERMAN CROWN PRINCE

AMSTERDAM, September 6—(Associated Press)—Berlin advices which were received here last night announce the birth of another child by the crown princess. This is the sixth child she has born to the crown prince. It is a daughter.

TWO HUNDRED MILLIONS ARE LOANED TO ALLIES

WASHINGTON, September 5—(Associated Press)—Two loans were made today by the United States one to Britain and another to France, each of a hundred million.

GERMAN DEPARTMENTS TO HAVE PRESS BUREAU HEAD

AMSTERDAM, September 6—(Associated Press)—For the purpose of effecting a close collaboration in the reports to be given out for publication regarding departmental activities and general information, every government department in Germany hereafter is to have its own press bureau, working under a common head.

SUGAR REFINERS SHOW WILLINGNESS

Meeting Decides To Cooperate in Price Control and Appropriations Sticks On Hand

WASHINGTON, September 5—(Associated Press)—Almost tantamount to control of the sugar industry of the United States is the power voluntarily placed in the hands of Herbert Hoover, food control administrator, by the sugar refiners of the country.

At a meeting here today to consider regulation of sugar sales and prices, the refiners of their own volition, following the exposition of Mr. Hoover's ideas and plans, agreed to place themselves and their factories in the hands of Mr. Hoover.

The most important action taken today was the appointment of all recently imported sugar among the various industries represented at the conference.

PROBE USED UPON SOCIALIST PAPERS

Government Investigates Utterances of Various Organs

WASHINGTON, September 5—(Associated Press)—Searching inquiry is being made by department of justice officers, it was learned today, into German, Soviet and Fascist publications throughout the country. Many of the papers have been openly accused of treasonable utterances in their columns, and the department is moving to suppress these seditious organs.

Mayor William Hale Thompson of Chicago, it is understood, is also to be made the subject of a strict investigation because of pro-German utterances attributed to him, and the newspapers and supporters of the mayor's attitude are also to be scrutinized.

REICHMANN MAKES HIS DEFENSE TO SENATE

Woman Witness Against Him Leaves Seattle

WASHINGTON, September 5—(Associated Press)—Col. Carl Reichmann, whose nomination as brigadier-general has been held up pending investigation of alleged pro-German utterances, specifically denied before a senate military sub-committee today that he ever had said the army draft would be so unpopular as to cause a civil war, or that German submarine warfare was justified under international law or that American troops should not be sent to France.

The colonel said he believed from both a military and a personal standpoint troops should be sent to France and that neither his German parentage nor the residence of two sisters in Germany would influence his conduct if he should be placed in charge of soldiers in the fighting lines. He was anxious to help win the war for America, he declared, as any other American officer.

Advices from Seattle say that Mrs. James Anderson of Victoria, B. C., on whose information Senator Poinsette brought charges against Col. Carl Reichmann, U. S. A., that prevented his confirmation as brigadier-general, has left for Washington to testify before a senate committee. Mrs. Anderson declares that in her presence Reichmann said Germany's submarine policy was justified.

HEAVY SURF PREVENTS LANDING AT LAHAINA

Owing to the heavy surf that was running at Lahaina, it was necessary for the Mauna Kea to transfer all passengers for the Valley Island to the Claudine while out at sea last Monday night. The Claudine took the passengers to Kahului where the wharf is more substantial and there no landing was experienced in effecting a discharge. It is said that many Maui residents who intended to sail for the Coast in the Maui yesterday morning were unable to take passage to Honolulu on the Mauna Kea and consequently will have to await the sailing of the next Matsun boat, which will not be until the Matsun sails September 19.

MOILIILI FAMILY ROW CALLS OUT AMBULANCE

A family row at Moiliili resulted in a call for the ambulance yesterday afternoon. It appears that Katie Kamakana, a Hawaiian woman, and Kim Tah Hui, a Korean, had a quarrel, which developed into a free-for-all fight.

Katie grabbed a mirror and broke it over the Korean's head, inflicting a gash over his left eye. The Korean, in turn, picked up a chunk of coral rock and pounded Katie over the back with it, causing a contusion on her right shoulder-blade.

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GARRISON HAS FEW SURVIVORS TO SURRENDER TO THE ITALIANS

Less Than Seventeen Hundred Men and Officers Found Living When They Finally Lay Down Arms and Seek Mercy of Attackers

LAST POSITIONS WON ON BAINZIZZA PLATEAU

Artillery Activity Follows Repulses of Crown Prince in Several Attacks But Otherwise West Front Comparatively Quiet

LONDON, September 6—(Associated Press)—Another signal victory for the troops of General Cadorna came shortly after dawn yesterday, when the Italians surged into and around one of the last remaining Austrian positions on the Bainzizza Plateau, south of Agrolole, bayonetting the survivors of the garrison until fewer than seven hundred were left to surrender. Among these were eighty-six officers.

Following up this advantage on the Julian front, the Italians advanced along their whole front and the battle became general, with the Austrians retreating.

RETREAT BECOMES GENERAL

The retreat along the general Isongo front is general and in some sectors has become a veritable rout. On portions of the Bainzizza Plateau, whole convoys of arms and ammunition were found abandoned in the eagerness of the Austrians to reach a place of shelter from the oncoming enemy. At one point 1000 boxes of projectiles—hand grenades, rockets, rifles and helmets were left to the Italians, and mule packs littered the ground.

Great quantities of exploded projectiles testified to the precipitate retreat, and many daggers, swords and iron maces, used for trench and hand-to-hand fighting.

The entire equipment of an Austrian brigade was discovered in an armored dugout at Ravenna. Two 105-millimeter cannons were captured in the advance, and turned on the fleeing Austrians. Thousands of shots were fired with these powerful weapons, and much havoc was wrought. Caverns were found packed with Austrian dead, telling of the awful devastating fire of Cadorna's artillery.

Unofficial reports from Rome last night state that the Italians yesterday afternoon stormed and captured the peak of Monte San Gabriele, but this reported victory has not been officially confirmed.

Artillery Booms on West

Reports from the Western front state that the fighting has been confined to artillery actions, following the repulse of further attempts of the Crown Prince to regain ground at two sections, in the Champagne and on the Aisne. In these attempts, reports Paris, the Germans suffered heavily.

The British guns in Flanders are roaring incessantly and an infantry advance at some portion of this line is momentarily expected.

A Tuston raid on French trenches at Armentieres, on the river Lys, was repulsed today after heavy fighting.

Russians on Retreat

The retreat of the Russian army in the Riga sector still continues, according to advices received from that front today.

The retreat is taking a northeasterly route, and has already crossed the Aa river, and the vanguard has already reached Segevd, Lemberg and Det-schubeyrd.

German warships continue to shell the Riga coast line.

Prince Leopold reports the capture of Duenamund. The capture of the Russian sector still continues, according to advices received from that front today.

On the Macedonian front both the French and the Serbians suffered severe reverses. The former, attacking at Brateland, were thrown back with heavy losses, while the Serbians were defeated in a bloody fight at Dobropolje.

SAFETY OF CAPTAIN AND KOTOHIRA CREW REPORTED

SEWARD, Alaska, September 6—(Associated Press)—Unconfirmed advices have been received here that the sixteen members of the crew of the Kotohira Maru have been saved. They came in a wireless that was picked up from the Westward, gave no details and have not been confirmed as no answer to queries has been made from the vessel or point from which the wireless came.